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Autumn and Winter Millinery For Women, Misses, and Children.

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The display is well deserving the attention of every woman, whether in wisdom she makes an early selection, or merely to observe the beauty and perfect harmony of the many new creations that have been conceived and executed.

Every authentic mode of the hour that fashion has approved is shown, in original and exclusive style—themes from every worthy source, that reflect the good taste and refinement of American women.

Third floor—F st.

## Several Fine Patterns in

## Haviland China Dinnerware

Have Just Been Unpacked.

This Is Important

One of the recent French steamers brought to New York three large casks of Fine Haviland Dinnerware consigned to us. Immediately upon its passing through the necessary routine we had it rushed as fast as possible to Washington—and to our store.

The three casks contained just what we have been waiting for—two of our most popular Haviland patterns were incomplete, and we were anxious to get the necessary selection. We were very much pleased to find that the three casks were confined to the two patterns.

Those who have these patterns and would like to make additions or replacements are advised to make an early inspection. It is also equally advisable for patrons desiring to begin a new set.

Haviland China need not be dwelt upon; every one knows its quality; its fine and splendid finish, artistic designs and beautiful decorations. Our entire showing of Haviland China is choice—floral spray, floral border, conventional and floral in various patterns, many garnished with gold; white and gold in different designs, and a unique effect—floral, conventional and slight gold decoration over an ivory tinted surface, with the rest of the china plain white.

Prices on These Importations Have Not Been Raised, as There Was No Increase to Us.

Our \$25.00 100-piece Haviland China Open-stock Set shows what extraordinary values we offer: fine quality, in an all-over rose spray and green foliage design, with the handles to cups, dishes, platters and similar pieces stippled in coin gold.

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CRABFLAKE OR CLAM COCKTAIL, OR CREAM OF FRESH TOMATO SOUP, CHICKEN HASH WITH GREEN PEPPERS, OR RAGOUT OF VEG. (W. L. STEAK), MASHED POTATOES, STRING BEANS, CABBAGE SALAD, APPLE, FLOAT OR ICE CREAM.

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Financial Page

## WAL, BUT TAFF, CAUSED SHORTAGE

House Democrats Fix Blame for Tax Bill in Making Formal Report.

## GAG RULE WILL APPLY

Republicans Up in Arms Against Order Under Which Debate Will Be Staged Tomorrow.

The Democratic majority of the House Committee on Ways and Means yesterday made its formal report on the war revenue bill.

That the war, and not the shortcomings of the Democratic tariff law, was the sole occasion for such legislation was indicated in the first paragraph of the report, which said:

"The necessity for this legislation grows out of the reduction of revenue derived from customs receipts caused by the disturbed conditions resulting from the war in Europe."

## Tables Show Receipts.

The following table showing the estimated effect of the war on customs receipts appears in the report:

Country	Estimated Receipts	Estimated Deficiency
Austria-Hungary	\$15,252,645	\$1,307,000
Belgium	\$1,234,417	\$1,234,417
France	\$1,148,302	\$1,148,302
Germany	\$1,130,385	\$1,130,385
Italy	\$1,130,385	\$1,130,385
Russia and Montenegro	\$1,130,385	\$1,130,385
United Kingdom	\$1,130,385	\$1,130,385
Total	\$15,252,645	\$15,252,645

The report denies that the threatened shortage is in any way attributable to the Underwood-Simmons tariff law and insists that "if it had not been for the war in Europe the tariff act of October 3, 1913, and the other sources of revenue would have yielded sufficient revenue to meet the demand of the government."

The final necessity for the enactment of an extraordinary revenue measure is summed up by the Democrats in the following conclusion:

"We have therefore reached the conclusion that it is conservative to state that the loss of customs that will be caused by the war conditions abroad for one year will be \$100,000,000. This amount, unless replaced by taxes from other sources, will cause a serious deficit in our Treasury balance. It is true that we have a general fund balance in the Treasury of \$100,000,000. This amount, however, is not a permanent surplus. It is a surplus which is a large amount in subsidiary coin and bullion, which is not available for use in meeting current obligations. The question therefore confronts us as to whether it is advisable to call in this surplus from the banks at this time or to levy additional taxes to take care of the loss of revenue caused by the war in Europe."

**Distribution of Revenues.**

The \$100,000,000 of revenues which the Government will obtain through the medium of the proposed bill is distributed as follows:

Permitted liquors	\$22,500,000
Wines	4,000,000
Cigars	4,000,000
Special taxes	16,500,000
Stamp taxes	20,000,000
Total	\$100,000,000

The minority report, in which the Republican members join, also was made public yesterday. It takes the ground that the emergency which the Democrats consider so grave is hardly an emergency at all and that adding tax burdens to the back of American industry at this juncture is unwarranted. Also the Republicans fail to discern any threat of disaster through the withdrawal of Federal funds from the banking institutions of the country at this time.

That the minority will receive short shrift at the hands of the Democratic majority in the House when the bill comes before that body was in evidence yesterday when Majority Leader Underwood introduced the rule under which the bill will be debated. This rule is the most drastic ever presented to the House for the consideration of a measure of the magnitude of the pending bill. It provides for but four hours of general debate, and no debate whatsoever under the five-minute rule. The bill will be subject to amendment and but one motion, a motion to recommittal, will be admissible.

## Republicans Up in Arms.

Naturally the Republican members of the House are up in arms at this application of the gag rule. They will be heard from during the short two hours allotted them of the four hours' general debate. The rule has been referred to the Committee on Rules and will be reported without amendment, it is expected. Thursday, at the opening of the day's session, the legislative battle will begin right there. Underwood is convinced, however, that the debate on the rule and the bill itself will require more than six hours and that the House, by 7 o'clock p. m., at the latest, will have passed the war revenue bill.

## In the District Courts.

The will of Lorenzo B. Brown, for many years general agent here for the Southern railway, was filed for probate yesterday. Everything is left to his wife, Lucy, for life, and the American Security and Trust Company is named as trustee. Mrs. Brown is given carte blanche by the instrument to draw upon the income as she needs it if the income proves to be insufficient to maintain her in her accustomed station in life.

George W. Meets sued Mary V. Meets for an absolute divorce yesterday in the District Supreme Court. Two respondents are named. One of them is a former employee of the complainant, Rice Hooe is his attorney.

Explaining that they had changed their minds and were married in another jurisdiction, Alexander Field and Sally Burwell, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Oxford, N. C., respectively, called at the City Hall yesterday and had cancelled a marriage license which had been issued to them here.

## M. J. JONES QUITS Y. M. C. A.

Myron J. Jones, well known locally as the educational director of the Y. M. C. A., has given up his position here and gone to Cleveland, Ohio, to become director of the National Youth Hygiene Association. Mr. Jones has long been interested in the work of encouraging the proper care of the mouth and teeth and has taken the opportunity to identify himself with that cause. His place with the local Y. M. C. A. will be filled by Thomas W. Walton, who has been assistant director of education of the Detroit association.

## Battlefield of Craonne Again Scene of Carnage

Germans and Allies are Struggling on Ground Where Napoleon, Winning His Last Victory Before the End of the First Empire, Drove Blucher Back Upon Laon.

The National Geographic Society has prepared the following facts concerning places that are famous prominently in the news of the military operations in the European war:

"Craonne—The scene of Napoleon's last victory before the end of the First Empire was laid in the village of Craonne, France, in the hills a little more than half way on a straight line from Rheims to Laon. The battle took place on March 7, 1814, after Blucher's line combined a force of 100,000 men at Laon. The Emperor fell upon the advanced guard of this force at Craonne and drove it back upon Laon, where a battle took place two days later. Napoleon was here defeated and with only 30,000 at his back he was compelled to renounce all ideas of a further offensive and he retired to Rheims. The town has changed but little in 100 years, having scarcely more than 1,000 inhabitants. It overlooks the valley of the Aisne, as it threads its way through the high hills to the northwest of Rheims.

Tergier—A point of strategic importance, a little to the north of a line from Noyon to Laon, France, much coveted by reason of its location on the northern bank of the Oise and on the Canal Croix, which joins the Somme and the Aisne, and principally because it is at the juncture of the double-tracked railway running to the north. From Tergier the direct line to Noyon, Laon, Amiens, St. Quentin and many other points in the battle zone. Tergier's population of about 5,000 is interested in the railway workshops located there. The town is twenty-seven miles northwest of the Craonne battlefield.

Herve and Battice—Two small villages in Belgium, a mile and a half apart.

## SUBURBANITES URGE CAR LINE EXTENSION

Residents of Congress Heights and Giesboro Want Work Started on Track to Steel Plant.

Officials of the Washington Steel and Ordnance Company as well as citizens of Congress Heights and Giesboro will make a determined effort to have the work begun soon on the extension of the street car line to that plant from Congress Heights. Because the Public Utilities Commission ordered an extension of the present line, about the same time that Congress passed the bill calling for the construction of a road to the steel plant, citizens have been unable to definitely place the two extensions.

## CONGRESS IN BRIEF.

**SENATE.**

The Senate passed a substitute rivers and harbors bill, carrying \$20,000,000 to be expended on existing and authorized projects at the discretion of the Secretary of War and the chief of engineers.

The Alaska coal land leasing bill was made the unfinished business of the Senate. Senator Pittman, of Nevada, spoke in support of the bill. Senator Shafroth, Colorado, opposed the bill saying that a leasing system on the public domain was not right or practicable.

Conferees on the Clayton anti-trust bill after meeting for two hours postponed final action on their report until today.

Senator Sheppard, of Texas, as chairman of the conference of Senators and Representatives from cotton-growing States, issued formal invitations to the governors of the thirteen Southern States to meet in Washington next Monday to discuss the cotton situation.

The Senate adjourned until noon today.

**HOUSE.**

The House concluded debate on the administration bill authorizing the leasing of oil and mineral lands by the Secretary of the Interior. A vote will be taken tomorrow.

The Ways and Means Committee reported the emergency revenue bill. Republican members filed a minority report and will fight the measure.

Representative Underwood announced he would call up the revenue bill tomorrow morning to a vote on that day.

A meeting of the Rules Committee was called for today to report out the special rule.

Representative Henry reintroduced in slightly modified form his bill proposing an advance by the Federal government of \$500,000 on the surplus cotton crop of the South.

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**BELGIAN WOMAN APPEALS.**

Aid for destitute Belgian women and children who are flocking into Dinard, France, is asked in a letter received by Mrs. Leitch C. Palmer, wife of Lieut. Commander Palmer, U. S. N., of this city, who has just returned from that section of France, from a friend in Dinard, Mrs. Belchelet du Vallon. The letter impresses the great need for money and the necessity of looking to America for assistance. England having done all she can. The letter ends with the appeal "Do get us some help."

## SH! MOVIE MEN FOILED AGAIN.

Movie men were foiled again yesterday in their attempt to get the White House grounds as the background for a scene. The company secured permission to take plain moving pictures in the grounds, but instead, attempted to picture an actor, disguised as a high official of Turkey, riding with a beautiful young woman. Authorities stopped the scene, and stated that another attempt may cause arrests.

## L. J. WILSON PROMOTED.

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Extra Heavy Rep Portieres, handsome galoon borders; seven leading colors. Pair.....\$5.45

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